

SISTER CITY COMMITTEE PICKS NEW OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Torrance's sister city program with Konya, Turkey, continues to move along with the election of officers and a stepped-up campaign to expand relations with the Turkish city.

Edward J. Gregory was elected permanent chairman at a recent meeting presided over by the temporary chairman, Naomi McVey.

Meetings will be held the first Monday of each month at 8 p.m. in the city hall council chambers. An executive board meeting is scheduled for May 20 at 8 p.m. in the same place to formulate immediate plans.

Former city manager George Stevens, who has been living in Konya, is returning to Torrance, and is expected to assist greatly in the sister city program.

Other officers elected include Fred Spangler, vice chairman; Abe Avoian, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Walk-

er, recording secretary; Mrs. Margaret H. Clark, corresponding secretary.

Members of the board of directors are Mrs. Naomi McVey, member of the parks and recreation committee; Mrs. Evelyn S. Radford, member of Torrance Traffic Council; Mrs. Fred W. Mill, who serves on the Civil Service Commission; Mrs. Sylvia Weyant, member of the Torrance Junior Womans Club; Mrs. Marie Kulp, member of the Victor Womans Club; Mrs. Bernice Wescombe, member of the Torrance Counsel PTA; Robert Vroman, past president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, also on the committee for Armed Forces Day and Torrance Float Committee; J. Walker Owens, new manager of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce; Miss Marilyn Jensen, member of the City Hall Recreation Dept., and Mrs. Frank Sciarrotta, member of the Torrance Beautiful Commission.

Four Torrance Girls Capture Area Awards

One hundred and forty-six Los Angeles County high school seniors were honored Tuesday as outstanding student award winners in the program co-sponsored by the county's savings and loan associations and the California Savings and Loan League.

The students were guests of honor at a recognition luncheon at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles, attended by high school principals, faculty representatives, school administrative officials, parents of the winners, and savings and loan executives.

Student winners from the Torrance area were Rita Mae Buch, Bishop Montgomery; Franklin Nelson Stanley, Torrance High; Richard D. Parker, North Torrance; John Timothy May, West Torrance.

Local sponsors were Southwest Savings and Loan, Marina Federal Savings and Loan, and Glendale Federal Savings and Loan.

D. W. Ferguson, Los Angeles County chairman of the California Savings and Loan League's school relations committee, presided at the luncheon. Principal speaker was Dr. Louis H. Evans, retired national minister-at-large of the United Presbyterian churches. Congratulations to the

students were delivered by Fred C. Stalder, vice president of the California Savings and Loan League, while Aubrey H. Simons, superintendent of Pomona city schools, delivered congratulations from the education profession.

The \$60,000 outstanding student award program was

initiated six years ago by the California savings and loan business. It is unique in that the principals of senior high schools in the state are asked to select an out-cash award and the medalion. The selection is determined solely by the principal or faculty committee, and the award is granted irrespective of any other scholarship funds won by the students.

BUCKLEY GIVES TALK

Author-editor William H. Buckley closed the Marymount College 1962-63 lecture series when he discussed "The Breakdown of Intellectuals in Public Life" Tuesday, on the Palos Verdes Estates campus.

Years of intensive study by university experts have established the fact that the tendency toward delinquency can be identified at an early age, not later than the second grade.

Early recognition of the tendency and remedial action on their problems is expected to save many children from tangling with the law. The cost is estimated at far less than that of later correcting them in youth authority facility or prison. The future of this bill will therefore be closely watched.

YOUR LEGISLATURE AT WORK

By VINCENT THOMAS
68th District Assemblyman

Another blow at juvenile delinquency would be struck by a bill which would set up special educational programs for "educationally handicapped minors." The measure has cleared its second hurdle in the Assembly by receiving a green light from the Ways and Means Committee, and now goes to the floor for action by that house.

The bill, co-authored by 28 assemblymen and three senators, is the outgrowth of months of study by the Senate fact-finding and the Assembly interim committees on education.

Problems Explored
The problems of youngsters who cannot benefit from regular classroom work because they have serious learning or behavior handicaps, other than physical, were explored in detail with the assistance of educators, psychologists, juvenile and correctional authorities. It is recognized that the bill cannot provide a complete answer to juvenile delinquency, but it could do much to reduce this blight on our society.

Under this proposed statute, elementary and high school districts would be authorized to set up special educational programs for minors needing help. The county superintendent of schools would be empowered to operate the program for smaller districts.

Four alternatives would be made available: 1) special classes for pupils unable to function properly in regular classes; 2) remedial teaching by special instructors for pupils with "learning disabilities"; 3) consultation services by specialists for teachers and supervisors on

problems of individual pupils; and 4) instruction in home, hospital, or approved children's institutions for those unable to function in a school setting.

More State Aid
Additional state aid for the excess costs to the school districts or county superintendents of operating these new programs would be provided under the measure. In order to qualify for such funds, advance notice of intention to start such programs would have to be filed with the state superintendent of public instruction, and state rules as to selection of pupils would have to be followed.

Admission of minors to these special programs would be limited to two percent of total district enrollment. Individuals would be selected on the basis of recommendations by a local committee including a teacher, school nurse or social worker, a school psychologist, a principal and a physician.

A state advisory committee of one representative each of the departments of education, mental hygiene and public health, plus others named by the board of education, would set state standards for admission to the program. No pupil could be admitted if his parent or guardian filed written objection.

Backed by Top Officials
In addition to the backing of educators and their organizations, the measure has the support of the superintendent of public instruction, the president of the state board of education, and the governor. Correctional authorities have endorsed the principle in-

What's New In Library?

Here's a list of the new titles acquired this week by the Torrance library.

NEW FICTION
Barrett, W., "The Fools of Time"; Broun, D., "The Subject of Harry Egypt"; Edmonds, W., "They Had a Horse"; Greenberg, J., "The King's Persons"; Hanley, J., "Say Nothing"; Hubbell, H., "The Friendship Tree"; Jackson, S., "We Have Always Lived in the Castle"; Kingley, M., "Shadow Over Elveron"; Nathan, R., "The Devil With Love"; "O. Henry memorial award prize stories," 1963.

NEW NON-FICTION
131, Goldsmith, J., "God, the Substance of All Form." 327.73, Bemis, S., "American Foreign Policy and the Blessings of Liberty." 332.67, Wilson, S., "Public Participation in the Stock Market." 333.3, Stone, D., "How to Operate a Real Estate Trade-In Program." 333.78, Engelhardt, W., "Survival of the Free." 338.8, Miller, E., "A Geography of Manufacturing." 355.23, Brellis, D., "Run, Dig or Stay?" 355.42, Valeriano, N., "Counter - Guerilla Operations." 370.1, Mayer, F., "New Perspectives for Education." 370.1, Reller, T., "Comparative Educational Administration." 370.96, Kitchen, H., "The Educated African." 372.5, Green, A., "The Kindergarten Arts and Crafts Book." 378, Orleans, H., "The Effects of Federal Programs on Higher Education." 421.5, Jones, D., "Outline of English Phonetics." 547.84, Bueche, F., "Physical Properties of Polymers." 598.2, Welty, J., "The Life of Birds." 621.3815, Marcus, M., "Switching Circuits for Engineers." 621.75, Ludwig, O., "Metal Work Technology and Practice." 658.14 Smith, R., "Management Private Pilot." 631.1, Hopkins, J., "Farm Records and Accounting." 643.3, "Better Homes and Garden - Kitchen Ideas." 657.8, Wright, H., "Accounting for Defense Contracts." 658.14, Smith, R., "Hangement Through Accounting." 658.56, De Groat, G., "Metalworking Automation." 658.2, Meredith, G., "Effective Merchandising With Premiums." 759.01, Heizer, R., "Prehistoric Rock Art of Nevada and Eastern California." 799.2, "Sports Afield Hunting Annual." 809.3, Kronenberger, L., "Novelists on Novelists." 818, Stroud, P., "Stephen Vincent Benet." 821, Bloom, H., "Blake's Apocalypse." 821.09, McNeil, W., "Studies in English Renaissance." 823, Magalane, M., "A James Joyce Miscellany." 828, Dickson, L., "The House of Words." 868, Boges, J., "Labyrinths." 895.1, Ssu, K., "Twentieth Century Chinese Poetry." 92G598, Goebbels, J., "The Early Goebbels Diaries." 92L5214, Nevins, A., "Herbert Lehman and His Era." 959.9, Honey, P., "North Vietnam Today." 970.3, Salisbury, O., "Quoth The Aven." 978, Cipriani, L., "California and Overland Diaries From 1853 Through 1871."

Bevcharge Retailers Assail Liquor Markup Profit Bill

A. D. Murrell, president of the California Beverage Retailers Association, commended Gov. Brown today for taking a stand against Sen. McAteer's controversial Senate Bill 752, the liquor profit markup bill.

Murrell said, "Our association was distributed when Sen. McAteer claimed that Gov. Brown would support this bill, because it seeks to achieve guaranteed profits for liquor dealers similar to those in a bill which Gov. Brown pocket vetoed in 1959. We were pleased to see the governor take a decisive stand when he said last week 'I vetoed it once before and I'd like to know the reasons why I should change my mind on it.'"

Murrell claimed that Senate Bill 752 guarantees a liquor store retailer a 21 percent markup on distilled spirits and further guarantees an eight percent markup to liquor wholesalers. "This is an attempt to raise prices to the consumer by eliminating private label brands," Murrell said. "Why should those consumers who do not want it be required to pay

for the cost of national advertising." In 1959, Gov. Brown in vetoing similar price-fixing legislation in the liquor field, stated in his veto message, "This, in effect, would be a tax on consumers. The state has never taken any action of this kind on any other commodity - to guarantee a specific markup, and consequently, a specific profit. Why should the liquor store operator have a guarantee of a profit when the hardware store operator does not? In either case, it would be the consumer who pays."

Murrell urged that members of the assembly unite behind Gov. Brown in opposing SB 752. It has passed the Senate.

The California Beverage Retailers Association also opposes Assembly Bill 1241, according to Murrell. "This bill is a sleeper," Murrell said, "it pretends merely to increase the price of liquor licenses. A careful reading, however, discloses that in the fine print it attempts to establish a legislative policy that lower liquor prices cause intemperance."

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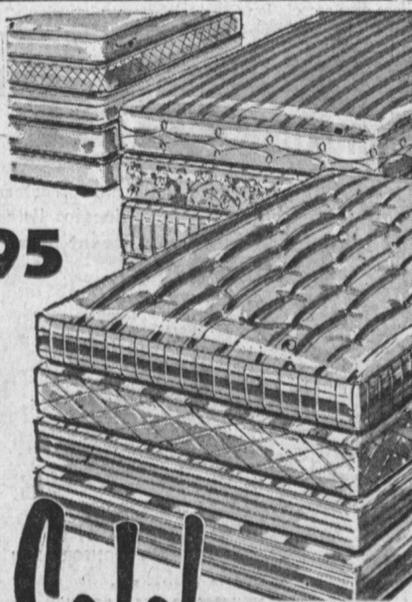
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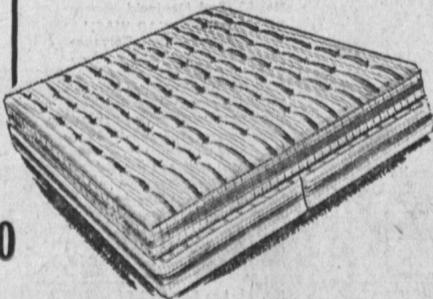
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